



## Weekly Update 8th April 2022

### School Holidays – Friday 8, April

RETNS will close for today for holidays at 12.00 on Friday, 8 April.

We reopen at 08.50 on Monday, 25 April.

### Save the Date – Sunday, 8 May

This year has seen great developments to our outdoor learning spaces with the new doors and awnings in the side garden. We would like to invite all our children and their parents/ guardians to mark this event from 2-4 pm on Sunday, 8 May - details to follow. We look forward to seeing you all back in RETNS.



### This Week in RETNS

Tomorrow we bid farewell to our student in 6<sup>th</sup> class, Áine Hunter. She has worked really well with the children, their teachers and ANA.

This week, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> began GAA training with Transition Year students from De la Salle.

After school today, four of our 6<sup>th</sup> class, Ben, Harriet, Hope and Ruby will represent RETNS in a quiz in Divine Word NS. We wish them all the best.

### Cake Sale

Thank you to all our children and parents/guardians for the wonderful baking donated for the cake sale yesterday. Thank you too for your generous donations to the Irish Red Cross. The winners of the class raffles were:

Enzo	Arthur	Bobby	Flynn
Luke	Bonnie	Samuel G.	Josh.

A raffle of delicious cakes took place later in the afternoon. Many thanks to Katie, Darren and 6<sup>th</sup> class for organising this fantastic event. And a special thanks to Liz Kalusche for the wonderful spring baskets she made with treats and knitted bunny and chick in each basket.

## Reminder for coffee morning

Parents/ guardians are welcome to visit classes this morning. Those with children in 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> are welcome to a cup of coffee in the Nurture Room from 09.00. Please remember to wear a mask!

## Frásaí na Seachtaine – Téama - Caitheamh Aimsire

An bhfaca tú an clár teilifíse sin?

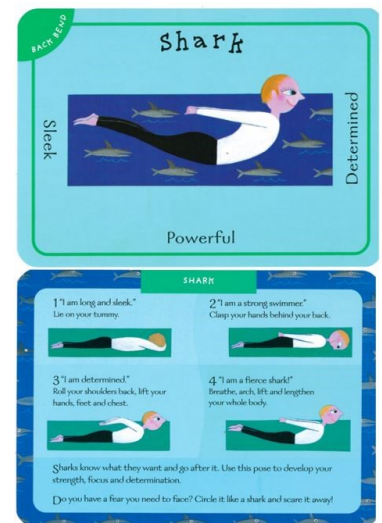
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Bhí sé ar Netflix.

## Yoga Pose

– Shark

(see [Yoga Pose of the Week](#))



## Restorative Practice – Parents' / Guardians' Course

Giraffe Talk - words can be windows or walls

<https://ubuntulearning.connectrp.ie/courses/1062046/lectures/22579069>

## FALL and FLOAT/ Dance Performance for Families at THE CIVIC Monday 11th April

Message from Monice Munoz, mother of Alba, *I just wanted to let you know that I am bringing a dance piece for families next Monday at The Civic, just in case there are families who could be interested in attending... since it is the first day of the Easter Holidays...*

<https://www.civictheatre.ie/whats-on/fall-and-float/>

FALL and FLOAT is a new dance performance for audiences aged 4 years and over. In this highly visual show, two dancers create a magical world to explore fantasy and imagination. Balloons are used by the dancers to evoke important moments of childhood and spark memories and emotions. Two extraordinary dancers, Mónica Muñoz's playful choreography and a joyful soundscape by Denis Clohessy, combine to make Fall and Float a delight for the senses and an ideal introduction to dance performance for a young audience (and their grownups!).

**Wishing all the school community very happy holidays – see you back in school at 08.50 on Monday, 25 April.**

Le dea-ghuí

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